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RE: LANSDOWNE STUDENTS ON ONE SHARED BUS RUN REQUIRED TO SELF-ISOLATE

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Public Health Sudbury & Districts advised the Sudbury Student Services Consortium that students from Lansdowne Public School on **two shared bus runs** are required to self-isolate. This is due to a possible exposure to COVID-19 not related to the school. **There is no confirmed case of COVID-19 at Lansdowne Public School at this time.**

By direction of Public Health, the requirement for students on the afternoon elementary bus Route N126 to self-isolate has been extended by one day to and including November 12, 2021 and is based on immunization status. The affected students, their parents/guardians and relevant bus drivers have been notified and have received a letter from Public Health with specific guidance. This bus run is cancelled and will resume on Monday, November 15, 2021. Note: Students on the morning elementary bus Route L113 are no longer required to self-isolate. Upon further investigation by Public Health Sudbury & Districts, there was no exposure on this bus run.

Lansdowne Public School remains open for in-person learning.

The school will follow up with affected students to ensure continuity of learning.

Remember to screen for COVID-19 daily. Continue to use the **COVID-19 Screening Tool for Children in School and Child Care** https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/ to monitor for symptoms and follow the direction provided. **Anyone who is sick must stay home.**

Please follow the critical ongoing COVID-19 prevention measures:

- · Wash your hands often with soap and water or alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- · Sneeze and cough into your sleeve.
- · Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth.
- Stay home and isolate if symptoms appear.
- Practise two-metre physical distancing.
- Wear a mask at all times in indoor public spaces.

When outdoors, students are encouraged to maintain physical distancing.

As always, we will monitor our school population closely for any signs of COVID-19, remain vigilant, and follow the guidance from Public Health. If you have any questions regarding COVID-19 or the measures taken to address COVID-19, please visit www.phsd.ca/COVID-19 or contact Public Health Sudbury & Districts at 705.522.9200 ext. 524.

Thank you for working together to keep everyone safe.

Sincerely,

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